

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	:	
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Peggy Wingard et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 2806
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Application No. 10/509,627	:	Group Art Unit: 4133
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Filed: April 29, 2005	:	Examiner: Sutton, Darryl C.
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL	:	Atty Docket: 006050.00067
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING	:	
WATER-SOLUBLE PRODRUGS	:	
OF PROPOFOL AND METHODS	:	
OF ADMINISTERING SAME	:	

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed September 16, 2008, for which the period for response has been extended up to and including March 16, 2009, by the Request for Extension of Time submitted concurrently herewith. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and the Declaration of Ajit Shah, Ph.D. under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132, are also submitted with this filing. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.